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In response to the Notice of Allowance mailed on May 5, 2011, Applicants are filing a Request for Continued Examination to reopen prosecution on the merits. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the application in view of the following.